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RESTS BESIDE HIS MOTHER

Governor Johnson Buried in His Home City.

PAY TRIBUTE TO THE DEAD

Thousands Stand Beside the Railroad Track With Bared Heads While the Funeral Train Goes By—Never Before Has Such a Tribute Been Paid to a Man in Minnesota—Warships in New York Harbor Half-Masted Flags.

St. Peter, Minn., Sept. 24.—"A prince and a great man has fallen."

Yesterday this prince and great man was laid to rest. The people of Minnesota mingled their tears because he had died, with their thanks that he had lived. Today and tomorrow they will try to follow his example, to live such lives as he lived. He is resting now beneath the sod, but the world is better because of his work and his example and those who knew him are thankful that he lived.

This sentiment was the theme of the last eulogy that was pronounced over John Albert Johnson before he was laid to rest; it was also the sentiment of the tens of thousands that watched the funeral procession from the capitol to the train, the thousands who stood with bared heads as the train went by and the thousands who saw the last procession to the church where he had worshipped and sung in his early days.

All along the road of the Omaha line to the little city people of the towns were out to see the governor's last special. At Shakopee, where the road goes through the middle of the town, the school children stood in two lines, one on either side of the track, with flags in their hands, and behind them stood the men and women with bared heads. The lines were several blocks long. Likewise at Belle Plaine, at Henderson, at Le Sueur and at the smaller stations on the line, the people stood in long lines with bared heads and with tears in their eyes watching the train go by.

Unmindful of the Rain.

It was nearly 2 o'clock when the funeral train arrived here from St. Paul and it was raining; but the citizens turned out and stood patiently waiting, unmindful of the rain. Every business house was closed and on every house and across every street mourning was draped.

Never has such a tribute been paid to a man in Minnesota, few in the nation. Even in far away New York harbor the warships of the United States navy half-masted their flags in honor of the dead.

The engine on the funeral train was decorated with black and white bunting and the governor's picture, and the baggage car, which carried the casket, was covered with black and white.

On arrival here the remains were carried to the church, passing through streets crowded with people. The populace of St. Peter walked through the church and passed by the bier, then gracefully retired, that the associates of the late governor in his official life might hear the ceremony in the church.

A little palm, scarcely noticed in a corner in front, marked the place where Governor Johnson sat when he was a member of the choir of that church. Now the choir sang its last farewell to him and the minister of the church pronounced a eulogy for the dead and sympathy for the bereaved. Then they carried away the body to its last resting place in Green Hill cemetery, a beautiful spot overlooking the home where the living man once lived and the office where he once worked. There he rests beside his mother and sisters. There his devoted wife and his faithful friends bade their last farewell, the wife collapsing as she looked into the grave and friends crying like children as they left the burial place.

MINNEAPOLIS MAN KILLED

Shocked to Death in a Peculiar Manner.

Minneapolis, Sept. 24.—Andrew Lodzig, an employe of the Twin City Rapid Transit company at its East Side station here, was instantly killed by an electric shock.

Lodzig, who was twenty-two years old, was passing the front of a street car carrying a pail of water and a lantern. In passing he spilled a little water on the car track, stepped on the water and then accidentally hit his lantern on the fender of the car, causing a circuit. He threw his hands above his head and dropped dead.

COOK ONCE MORE TELLS HIS STORY

Relates It Before a Brilliant Audience.

TOAST BROOKLYN EXPLORER

Enthusiastic Admirers Give a Banquet to the Man Who Claims to Have Discovered the North Pole. No Official Representative of the State or Nation Present—Admiral Schley Is Toastmaster.

New York, Sept. 24.—Cheered by 1,000 men and women as he entered the banquet hall on the arm of Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley, U. S. N., (retired), Dr. Frederick A. Cook told his story before the most brilliant audience that he has addressed since he left the court of Denmark. The banquet was given by the Arctic Club of America, of which Dr. Cook is a member, in recognition of his last polar venture, which culminated in his announcement that he had reached the North pole. While there was no official representative from either state or nation, the assemblage was cosmopolitan and enthusiastic. Crowded in the great ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria they toasted the Brooklyn explorer and listened attentively to his recital in the form of an after dinner address. Among those at the tables were explorers, some of whom knew the dangers and suffering of the Arctic zone almost as well as Dr. Cook himself. Men of science were there also, but the explorer addressed himself primarily to the great majority of his hearers whose interest in polar conquest has but lately been aroused by the clamor of the world over the two reported achievements. The address was not technical. He expressed thanks for the honor accorded him, reviewed the history of man's endeavor to attain the pole, paid tribute to the loyalty of John R. Bradley, the man whose money enabled him to undertake the expedition, answered briefly a few charges that have been made against him, and reiterated that he unfurled the flag at the pole on April 21, 1908. Commander Peary's name he did not mention, except at the end of his speech when he said: "There is glory enough for all." Then it was that Peary's name mingled with those of other explorers to whom he referred with reverence.

Appealed to His Hearers.

Dr. Cook appealed to his hearers to accept his narrative of his journey to the pole as he has seen fit to give it so far. "It is as complete as the preliminary report of any previous explorer," he said. "Heretofore such evidence has been taken with faith and the complete record was not expected to appear for years."

Dr. Cook entered the hall on the arm of Rear Admiral Schley. He did not pause to greet old friends or to meet new ones, but walked directly to his seat, while the guests cheered wildly. Their plaudits the explorer answered merely with a smile.

He seated himself beneath the blue flag of the Arctic club, with Rear Admiral Schley on his right and Carala Moltke, the Danish minister, on the left. Rear Admiral Schley occupied one seat of honor as toastmaster, president of the Arctic club and himself an Arctic hero, having guided the relief expedition to the ill-fated Greeley party, while the Danish minister occupied the other in view of his nation's first reception of the explorer.

Patrick S. McGowan, president of the board of aldermen, sat near to Rear Admiral Schley and in the chair at Mr. McGowan's right sat Bird S. Coler, president of the borough of Brooklyn. Dr. Cook's home town. Mrs. Cook did not attend the banquet proper, but occupied a balcony box during the latter part of the evening.

The banquet was to have been preceded by a reception, but after a long wait the diners crowded into the hall without a chance of previously shaking the hand of the explorer. The reason for Dr. Cook's delay and the abandonment of the reception was both amusing and at the same time characteristic of Dr. Cook's simplicity. It became known that he landed in this country without having conventional evening clothes in his wardrobe and the suit ordered since his arrival here was late in being delivered to his room. For that reason the reception followed the dinner instead of preceding it.

No Massacre of Jews.

Kiev, Sept. 24.—There has been no massacre of Jews in Kiev. There have, however, been some slight disorders which apparently have been the foundation for the sensational reports sent abroad.

SURROUNDED IN THEIR HOME

Father and Two Sons Suspected of Murder.

Bluefield, W. Va., Sept. 24.—A party of armed citizens have Simon Blankenship and his two sons surrounded in their home awaiting the arrival of the sheriff of Buchanan county, Va. They were led to this house by bloodhounds put on the trail of the murderers of the old lady known as "Aunt Betty" Justis, her son-in-law and daughter and three children, whose bodies were burned in their home at Hurley, Va., Tuesday night.

The bloodhounds led the posse from the burned house into and across a cornfield and over a mountain to the home of Blankenship. An effort was made to have the dogs pass but they continued to stop at this house. The armed citizens held a consultation and decided to keep the inmates prisoners in their own home until the arrival of the sheriff.

Wednesday night the bloodhounds were taken off the trail and put up for the night at Blackey, Va. Thursday morning they readily picked it up, following it several miles up a mountain hollow to the home of the persons who were already under suspicion.

DARK HORSE GETS THE NOMINATION

Bannard Candidate for Mayor of New York.

New York, Sept. 24.—With the announcement from the platform that practically all the fusion and independence forces in Greater New York except the Independence league, would work in harmony to elect its candidates in the coming municipal election, the Republican city convention in Carnegie hall unanimously nominated these candidates for the three leading municipal offices:

For mayor, Otto T. Bannard, president of the New York Trust company; resident of Manhattan borough.

For comptroller, William A. Fendegast, for many years president of the Credit Men's National association; resident of Brooklyn.

For president of the board of aldermen, John Purroy Mitchell, present commissioner of accounts and an independent Democrat; resident of Manhattan.

Mr. Bannard's selection was a surprise, for he had not been included even in the possibilities. It was not until after the convention had organized and adjourned that a committee was dispatched for a final conference with the fusion forces in the hope of reaching an agreement upon candidates, that his name was presented.

After the conference Timothy L. Woodruff, chairman of the Republican state committee, who presided, announced that the committee appointed to confer with the fusionists could report that the candidates nominated by the Republicans would receive the support of all independent forces and with this declaration before the convention the candidates were chosen.

The fusion element is centered in a non-partisan committee of 100, a sub-committee of which has been trying for the past week to agree on candidates. The Independence league delegate withdrew because the league would not be a party to "bargaining for offices," as the dissenting delegate expressed it.

The fusion sub-committee adjourned without formally endorsing the Republican ticket as selected, but its support is relied upon.

AUTOMOBILE TURNS TURTLE

One Man Killed and Four Others Injured.

Rockford, Ill., Sept. 24.—Charles W. Blodgett of Chicago, a traveling salesman, was killed, Albert Westerberg was fatally injured and Oscar Johnson, Ernest Christensen and Fred Densington were hurt when an automobile in which they were returning from Belvidere turned turtle. The party had spent the day in Belvidere and was returning home to Rockford when Blodgett was asked to join them. Johnson, owner of the machine, was driving at a high speed when a rear wheel came off. The momentum was so great that the car made two revolutions in the air. Blodgett was crushed beneath the automobile, his skull was fractured and his jaw broken. He died half an hour later. Westerberg suffered internal injuries.

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WILL STOP CARS AT NIGHT

Result of the Turbulent Scenes in Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 24.—In view of the turbulent scenes Wednesday night and the frequent collisions between the imported crews and the strike sympathizers Thursday, the officials of the street car company have decided to cease attempting to run cars at night. They claim that the usual number of cars were in service during the day and that regular schedules were maintained.

Two passengers and the members of the crew of a car which got beyond control on a steep grade at Fortieth street and Ames avenue, were slightly injured.

Mayor Dahlman expressed a feeling of hopefulness for a settlement of the strike, but declined to say what action was contemplated. Several heads were cracked by the policemen's clubs.

TRIES TO KILL HIS FATHER

Wisconsin Man Then Ends His Own Life.

La Crosse, Wis., Sept. 24.—After attempting to kill his father, William Schaefer, aged twenty-seven, one of the proprietors of a bakery, turned the revolver on himself, fired one shot and fell dead upon the floor. Customers in the shop, rushing to the rescue found the young man past aid. In insanity is believed to have been the cause of the suicide and attempted murder. The elder Schaefer owes his life to the fact that he had gone into another room, instead of his own, to take a nap and his son was unable to reach him.

EIGHTY-FIVE MEN

ARE INDICTED

Charged With Using the Mails to Defraud.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Sept. 24.—James C. Maybray and eighty-four alleged associates were indicted by the United States grand jury for the Southern district of Iowa, charged with conspiring to defraud by illegal use of the mails. With the exception of Maybray and three or four others, none of those indicted are in custody and for that reason the names of the defendants were not made public. It was stated that the list includes many persons known in criminal annals under several aliases. Each of these alleged confederates had a number, which is given as one of the aliases accredited to the defendant.

Although amounts are not mentioned, it is stated that the amounts lost by the alleged victims of Maybray and others named will exceed \$500,000. The sums lost range from \$1,500 to \$30,000, the latter sum having been placed on a fake horse race, according to the evidence at hand, by a Missouri banker.

The list of names of victims given in the indictment includes men of prominence. Victims in eighteen states, the territory of Alaska and the Dominion of Canada are named. As a basis of operation they used, according to the indictment, the following:

ing to the indictment, the cities of Council Bluffs, Davenport and Burlington, Ia.; St. Louis, Little Rock, Seattle, Denver and New Orleans, to which places it is alleged victims were taken by the numerous "steerers." In setting out the specific instances in which violations of the postal laws is charged, the indictment includes copies of many sensational letters alleged to have been exchanged between Maybray and his associates which refer to alleged "deals."

TWO KILLED AND FIVE HURT

Automobile Goes Through a Trestle at Seattle.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 24.—Two women were killed, another was fatally hurt and three men and a woman were seriously injured in an accident at Fourth and Weller streets here when an automobile went through a trestle. The dead are:

Miss Winnie Fraser, aged twenty-one, a waitress; Miss Jessie Mabel Johnson, telephone operator.

The injured are Miss Goldie Porter, clerk in department store, burned and injured internally, dying at hospital; F. E. Lindsay, a driver, hurt internally, may die; Alex Anderson, waiter, broken arm, badly burned; Christine Anderson, waitress, broken arm and ankle; Thomas Finck, a chauffeur, leg broken.

Drug Clerk Ends His Life.

New York, Sept. 24.—Henry G. Clayton, a drug clerk who came here a month ago from Los Angeles, jumped in front of a Sixth avenue elevated train at the Fifth street station and was instantly killed. Clayton is said to have been despondent because of his failure to find work.

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Eighty acres, section 7, Noka township, 7 miles from Brainerd, less than one mile from Jonesville, good roads, nice level land, good soil, right in the iron district, no mineral or other reservations. Will sell at a bargain if taken this month.

136 acres, section 12, Garrison township, one-half mile frontage on Mille Lacs lake, lays level, fine soil, hard wood timber, house and small barn, less than one-half mile from hotel and stores, no mineral or other reservations. This land must be sold by Oct. 1st. Price and terms right.

40 acres in section 28, Long Lake township, 20 acres under cultivation, lays level, the best of soil, small house—new, 7 miles from Brainerd, good roads, close to a lake, no mineral or other reservations. Want to sell quick. Price and terms right.

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WEATHER FORECAST

Generally fair tonight and Saturday. Probable frost tonight and warmer Saturday.

A Chicago police inspector has been found guilty of grafting. What, in Chicago? Never.

J. Adam Bede is slated to run for congress again in the Eighth district by the Minneapolis papers.

Peary has announced that he will accept no invitations to banquets or public receptions until the controversy between him and Dr. Cook is settled. Possibly after the settlement his invitations will drop off.

Gov. Eberhart's standing of 100 in department is not so much of a joke after all. A man who is able to show a clean record in that line may require something near it in his official family, and the boys better keep their weather eye on their conduct in the future.

The St. Cloud Times roasts the people who participated in the street fair marriage at Little Falls to a complete brown, and says of the minister who performed the ceremony: "He ought to be ashamed of himself; he has brought shame upon the ministry by this public burlesque of what should be a solemn and sacred occasion."

An interesting fact about Governor Eberhart, is that his name originally was Olson. But there were in Mankato, where he lived, half a dozen or more Adolph Olsons, and, as a result, many instances of confusion of identity occurred, not the least of these being errors in the delivery of important mail. So when the future state official was married, he asked the court to permit him to take the name of his wife, a petition that was granted and since then he has been Adolph O. Eberhart.

Word comes that a conductor and brakeman on the Northern Pacific were held up by yeggmen on their freight train between Staples and Little Falls and robbed. The same day the Detroit Record had an account of the arrest of a brakeman there for holding up and robbing a yegman, and he admitted the crime, stating that it was the custom to hold up box car tourists, spend their money for meat and drink and divide the balance. The railroad boys are waiting for that fellow to get out of jail in order to get even with him.

Democratic politicians allied with the regular organization in Chicago, as well as many of the Bryan spokesmen, expect Gov. Harman, of Ohio, to step into the place occupied by Gov. Johnson, of Minnesota, as the "logical" candidate for president in 1912, according to Chicago telegrams. Death changes plans of men, but the world moves on. A week ago the late Gov. Johnson was considered as a probable candidate of the democratic party for president of the United States; today he lies cold in death and his friends from ocean to ocean, mourn.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Weeks repairs guns. 307 6th St.
D. K. Laurie is down from Crookston visiting his family.

Wm. Paine, of Glenwood, is visiting his mother and other relatives in Brainerd.

If you are particular as to what kind of a gun you shoot with, rent yours of D. M. Clark & Co. 77-1f

Miss Selma Woerner returned today from a visit of two weeks at Dubuque, Iowa.

Ed. Bush left for Fargo today noon and expects to fire on a switch engine there this winter.

W. H. Crowell went to St. Cloud this afternoon on business and will return tomorrow night.

A look at our splendid new fall line of rugs will prove our statement that we exercised excellent judgment in selecting them. D. M. Clark & Co. 77-1f

H. W. Kadsworth left for his home today after having been a guest of his friend, J. G. Batcheller.

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Charles Krech, J. T. Sanborn and S. R. Adair went to Pequot today to take in the closing hours of the fair.

Mrs. E. B. McCullough, of Memphis, Tenn., is visiting Mrs. R. J. Hartley and other friends in this city.

Jacob Schmidt's bottle beer is delicious. We have the agency. Order a case. Phone 164, John Coates Liquor Co. 1f

Hon. S. F. Alderman and Attorney M. E. Ryan returned this afternoon from attending the funeral of Gov. Johnson.

Bert McCauley returned yesterday from a trip up the Minnesota & International railway where he has been paying off.

J. B. Noble, carpenter at the Indian agency at Onigum, was in Brainerd today on his way home from a visit to the twin cities.

Mrs. J. S. Gardner returned this noon from a three months visit to her old home in New York. She reports a very pleasant time.

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Mrs. Frank Jarboe, of Little Falls, returned home today, after having visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hoffman for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Price, of Grand Rapids, left for the twin cities this afternoon, having visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moody for a couple of days.

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Victor I. Fraser, of Iron Mountain, Minn., is in the city visiting relatives. His sister-in-law, Miss Clara Zakaria, returned with him from a visit at Iron Mountain.

Mrs. Alvah Alden and daughter, Lila, of Staples, returned home yesterday after a visit with relatives in this city. Her brother Ira returned with her for a visit at Staples.

Buy a lot in Deerwood on the installment plan. For terms see J. H. Kreckelberg, Citizens Bank Bldg. 22f

The "Molly Bawn" company arrived in the city yesterday afternoon, having an open date, and will play here tonight. There is a good sale of seats and a good house is expected.

The case against Sam and Robert Bourquin, brought by N. E. Barber to bind them over to keep the peace, was dismissed today, the parties having satisfactorily settled their differences.

Regular \$1 and \$1.50 heavy Dress Goods, 54 inches wide, will be closed out at 79c, at J. N. Biever's. 94-16

Mr. and Mrs. W. Grant returned this morning from a short visit at Staples. Mr. Grant states that this is the first time he has lost a day's work in the Northern Pacific shops in six years.

Rudolph N. Lindberg passed through a very severe operation at the Northern Pacific hospital yesterday morning. His condition, however, is good and a speedy recovery is expected.

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F. J. Murphy has moved his family into the Imperial block and J. T. Sanborn, who owns the cottage where he has been living, is having it raised and a wall put under it and having it otherwise fitted up.

T. F. Waterfield took a five day's sentence in the city jail this morning and Louis Bluffer contributed \$5 to the city exchequer in municipal court this morning because of indulging too freely in fire water.

Court Magnolia, No. 54, U. O. F., will give a dancing party in Columbian hall Friday evening, September 24. 90-13

The manager of the Amateur Athletic Association foot ball team requests all who wish to try for a place on the team to turn out on the McKay grounds Sunday morning at 9:30, when the first practise will take place.

Live lobsters and fresh oysters at the Ideal Cafe. 93-15

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Saunders came from Deerwood on the noon train yesterday to attend the Johnson memorial services. By order of the State Game and Fish commission all work was suspended at the fish hatchery yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. L. S. Budd and her sister, Miss Rasmus, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Walters. Mr. Budd, who recently lost his stock of merchandise by fire at Valley Springs, S. D., will not continue in the mercantile business there but will move to New Jersey to make his future home.

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Some would-be practical joker hung a diphtheria sign on the door of the Washington building last night and some of the pupils returned home this morning, supposing there would be no school. There has been a good deal of deviltry going on around that building the last few months and somebody will get pinched good and hard if there is not a letting up.

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A. D. Polk and M. T. Dunn, who purchased the wooden building at the northeast corner of the Cale block at a foreclosure sale a year ago, have just secured possession. They will have the building reshingled, the front modernized and have it painted outside and repainted and repainted inside and put it in first-class shape to be rented. This has been a great corner in its day. It was where J. F. McGinnis made his money, where E. W. Linnemann and John Carlson, then in partnership, started in the clothing business. Henry I. Cohen also did business there at one time and L. J. Cale occupied it for a number of years.

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Emil Ahre, one of the drill runners for Rogers-Brown Ore company, near Deerwood, met with a painful accident Wednesday. Emil had made a fresh connection on his lead wire, which is used in blasting in the drill holes, and to make sure that the connection was perfect, before putting the wire down in the hole, he attached an electric exploder to the wire and placed it some distance from him for safety. One of his helpers was then instructed to pull the battery, and the exploder went off, recoiling with great force and hit Emil full in the chest right over the heart. A small particle of the copper casing on the exploder penetrated the flesh and entered the chest bone. He was driven to Deerwood to Dr. Sewall, who extracted the copper and dressed the wound. Dr. Sewall has confidence that there will be no serious complications.

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The Lake Superior mineral formation occupies parts of three states; viz: Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota.

In Michigan a great iron field and a greater copper field are located upon it. Farther west is the Gogebic iron range, in Minnesota the Vermilion and Mesaba ranges have been opened upon it, the Cuyuna iron and Pine County Copper ranges are now being developed, and the new Lake Nemenkon Iron range is at present claiming attention, as one of the most promising so far discovered.

It is to be understood that all these "ranges" lie upon and form a part of a single mineral formation; that this formation produces iron and copper, the two staple metals, without which modern civilization would be impossible, and that world has not in all historic times, seen another region whose mineral wealth was more than a tithe of that of the Lake Superior field. At least three world's records have been completely shattered in this region.

Present indications are that as this formation becomes better understood, even richer and more extensive mineral deposits will be opened. In fact, it is altogether probable that certain of the new ranges will eclipse the older ones, just as the latter have surpassed all preceding ones.

It is certain that the best informed mining experts regard Minnesota's mineral resources as having so far been barely scratched, notwithstanding the net product to date reaches well up into the hundreds of millions of dollars.

The question is should Minnesota people be awake to these things? Is it necessary that nature's treasures in Minnesota be turned over to outsiders? Each of our great mineral ranges in turn have been regarded with indifference by Minnesotans, until it has passed into the hands of eastern capitalists. Happily, the number of optimists among us, regarding Minnesota's wonderful resources, is increasing and the number

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of skeptics decreasing, and the number of people who blindly refuse to have anything to do with minerals, no matter how rich nor near (for sometimes they are just beneath our feet) is becoming steadily smaller—which is as it should be.

This policy of shunning and neglecting our own natural resources is a sinister one, and has brought a sad return to Minnesota and her people. For others have taken advantage of our blindness. Wall Street seems to have profited by it already to the extent of some hundreds of millions of dollars, and the end is not yet—nor soon.

Expect End of the World.
Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 24.—Negroes here are very much excited over a report which seems to be generally current among them that the end of the world will come today. Thursday night

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many negroes gathered in their homes and at churches making preparation for the "judgment." Where the report originated no one seems to know.

Italian Laborer Killed.
St. Paul, Sept. 24.—In jumping over a moving work car at Seventh and Neill streets Antonio Tarrasso, an Italian laborer in the employ of the Twin City Rapid Transit company was thrown under the wheels and instantly killed.

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Concord Grapes per basket.....	28c	Bananas Jumbo, dozen.....	25c
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Healthy Apples per peck.....	40c	Sweet Potatoes Jersey per pound.....	5c
Black Grapes per basket.....	40c		

WAREHOUSE AND ELEVATOR BURNED

Hessel Brothers Implement Warehouse and Monarch Elevator Destroyed by Fire

THE CAUSE OF FIRE IS UNKNOWN

Hessel Brothers are Heavy Losers and only Partially Protected by Insurance

The machinery warehouse of Hessel Brothers was totally destroyed by fire in an early hour this morning and the grain elevator is in ruins. The fire was started in about 1 o'clock and in a very short time the warehouse was a mass of flames. The elevator, which is located just north of the warehouse, caught fire from it. The elevator contained about 700 bushels of rye, Mr. Glockner, the manager, having shipped out a car load of wheat Thursday.

It is not known how the fire originated. John Hessel, who is manager of the business, went to Pequot night before last to attend the Pequot fair and had not yet returned. Fred Glockner, manager of the elevator, was looking after the business for Mr. Hessel. He states that he had a little fire in the office in the forenoon, but there was none in the afternoon. He went into the office after 1 o'clock in the afternoon to get a bicycle pump and everything was all right then. The flames had spread to the time the fire was discovered, that it was impossible to tell in what part of the structure they started. Mr. Glockner is of the opinion that either the fire was set by someone who had a grudge against Mr. Hessel or that some tramps had crawled into the building or under one of the platforms to sleep and had dropped a match. The fact that it had rained hard the night before and during the day would preclude the possibility of having been set by sparks from a locomotive.

It is not known here whether or not the elevator company had insurance on the elevator, but they are supposed to have it covered by a blanket policy. It is known by Mr. Glockner that the grain was insured as he had received orders to ship as soon as he had a car load of any one kind of grain because the company had to pay insurance on the grain in



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ROADS NEED RE-PAIRING IN AUTUMN

State Engineer Advises Preparation of Road for Winter Snows and the Spring Thaws

WOULD SAVE MUCH EXPENSE

Roads Properly Prepared Will Pass Through Spring Thaw in Much Better Shape

Some time next spring the Minnesota snows will begin to disappear. The bare roadways throughout the state will begin to reappear. It is safe to wager that when they do appear they will be full of ruts and covered with mud. Teaming over them will be a hardship for horses and drivers for a month or more, in fact, until the spring rains are over and the settled weather of the summer comes again.

And when the spring comes with its thaws and its rains, the farmers will begin to complain to their road overseers about the condition of the highways. The farmer needs good roads in the spring as well as in the fall. His need during the harvest season is readily seen, but he has nearly as great a need in the spring when he must drive to market or the railroad for his summer supplies; for what seeds he could not get during the winter, and for countless other necessities. On bad roads, this work will take days, on good roads he can save time and money.

Then the road overseer will get busy. He will bring the road machine out, and scrape the mud off the sides and pile it in the middle of the road to dry under the traffic. He will fill the holes with gravel. He will crown the road nicely and in time through his efforts and the constant traffic and the warm sun, the road will become hard and firm again.

Much Labor Could be Saved

But all that will take time. Much of the road overseer's labor could be saved. He could have lightened his labors with a little forethought, and that forethought is all summed up in the words of George W. Cooley, the state highway commissioner's engineer, when he says:

"The best time to do road work is in the fall. Then is the time to put the road in proper shape. See that the crown is right and the drainage attended to. Then in the spring there will not be so much trouble and the road will not need so much hard labor and attention."

His advice should be followed this fall by every county in the state. Let the roads be in good shape now, while the weather is good. Let the drainage be attended to and the culverts cleaned out. Then let the road be kept in repair until the snow comes, not fixed up now and left to its own devices for two months or more. The roads should be dragged and kept free from ruts and mud holes.

If the roads are smooth and firm when the snow comes, the chances are that the melting snow in the spring will not do very much damage. But if there be the slightest defect, the running snow water is sure to find and enlarge it. Of course, there will always be some trouble on a dirt road in the spring, but by proper attention in the fall much of that can be saved.—Murray T. Davenport, Minneapolis Tribune.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portions of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

NEW STEAM PLANT

Steam Heating Plant to be Put in to Heat the Stage of the Park Opera House

The directors of the Park Opera House Association this morning let the contract for a steam heating plant under the stage of the opera house to heat that portion of the house. Heretofore the stage has been inadequately heated and when the curtain rose a wave of cold air swept over the auditorium. This will be done away with and any possible danger from the furnace under the stage will be abolished. The contract was let to Louis Sherlund, who will proceed to install the plant as soon as possible. There will be 1000 feet of radiation bunched on the stage.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY
Will Surely Stop That Cough.

COL. JOHNSON'S TRIBUTE

In Letter to Mayor Ousdahl He Pays High Tribute to the Late Governor Johnson

Col. C. D. Johnson, before leaving the city to attend the funeral of the late Governor John A. Johnson, sent Mayor Ousdahl the following letter of regrets and tribute to Mr. Johnson and it was read at the memorial services:

Brainerd, Minn., Sept. 22, 1909.

Hon. A. Ousdahl,

Mayor of the City of Brainerd:

Dear Sir: It is my intention to leave on the morning train to attend the funeral of Governor Johnson, at St. Peter, Minn., which will necessitate my absence from the memorial services to be held in our city. I regret that I cannot add my testimony to the worth of our beloved Governor, and express my profound sorrow for his untimely death, in the presence of the people of Brainerd. Governor Johnson was a fine man; he lived a fine life; he was stricken down in the full vigor of his physical and wasted energy, just at a time when his future pathway was illumined with the beacon light—success. He was a manly man, imbued with a high and noble purpose, and that purpose, doing something for the betterment of mankind.

When we recall the fact that only nine years ago, Gov. Johnson entered public life, and today there came cabled from citizens of this country sojourning in Paris, their regrets and inexpressible sorrow at his death, it shows a greatness grown and developed within the man unparalleled by any other man in that length of time. We mourn his loss; his gentle countenance will be remembered by us of Minnesota with proud recollection of having known the man. Let us hope that "on the morning after death, he saw a more glorious sun rise with unimaginable splendor above a celestial horizon;" let us hope that his strong and stable energy found instant exercise in another sphere, and let the people of Minnesota dry their eyes; dry those tears in the sunlight of hope that with him all is better now.

Mr. Mayor, I go to lay at his grave my wreath of remembrance, respect and admiration. Very respectfully,
C. D. JOHNSON.

COMES WELL RECOMMENDED

Miss Francis Long, Science Teacher in the Brainerd High School Has Splendid Record

Supt. Cobb, of the Brainerd city schools, has finally succeeded in securing a science teacher, and according to all accounts, has been fortunate in securing an excellent teacher. Miss Frances Long, who has accepted the position, is a graduate of the University of Nebraska, having both B. A. and B. S. degrees from that institution. She also served for two years as first assistant teacher of science in the university.

She was for one year science teacher in one of the larger Nebraska cities and for three years has been teacher of science in Albert Lea College, Albert Lea, Minn. She resigned that position a year ago to travel in Europe and has but just returned, not having intended to teach this winter. She, however, decided to accept the offer of the Brainerd school authorities, and will be here the first of the week to commence her duties.

UNANIMOUSLY CALLED AGAIN

First M. E. Church at its Quarterly Conference Unanimously Asks Rev. Davis to Return

The First Methodist Episcopal church held its quarterly conference last evening and extended an unanimous invitation to Rev. Charles Fox Davis to return to this pastorate for another year. This practically makes certain his retention on this charge for which his many friends within and without the church are very glad.

The conference also passed a resolution requesting the bishop to retain Rev. Dr. E. K. Copper as presiding elder of the Brainerd district. The financial report, Dr. Copper stated this morning, showed the church in the best condition of any time since the Brainerd district was organized.

They Didn't Have to Change.

During the years in which our pure food laws have been put into effect there has been a great hurrying and scurrying on the part of the food manufacturers to change their methods to make them conform to the law.

The Quaker Oats Company is a conspicuous exception. It was admitted that Quaker Oats was as pure and clean as possible and that it was an ideal food.

It is so cheap that any one can afford it and so nourishing that everyone needs it. The result of last year's experiments at Yale and other points where food values were tested is that Quaker Oats has been adopted by many persons as their food on which they rely for adding vigor and endurance of muscle and brain.

The Quaker Oats Company meets all demands in the way it packs Quaker Oats; regular size packages and the large size family package; the latter, both with and without china.

ESDON ETCHINGS

Mrs. Nellie Roll was quite badly hurt in a runaway near L. Albert's last Saturday. A part of the buggy came loose and the horses were then frightened and as they turned into Mr. Albert's gate, the buggy was upset and Mrs. Roll was thrown out on her head and shoulder. Her ankle was hurt and there were other bad bruises. Miss Albertina Falstrom was with her but fell upon Mrs. Roll and escaped uninjured.

Esther Roll is a good deal better. Mr. Nelson is at home again.

Mrs. Lee Joy went to Brainerd to help take care of Mrs. Hep's boarders.

Mrs. Cook is teaching at the White school house, beginning last Monday.

Mrs. Gussie Rosenkranz and baby are staying with Mrs. Benj. Rosenkranz.

Carris and Hazel Rosenkranz have exchanged homes for a few days, Carrie staying with Mrs. Alberts and Hazel with Mrs. Benj. Rosenkranz.

Mrs. Conrad Isles was out on a visit to her son, Phil, a week ago.

Con Isle and Clarence Smiley spent Sunday in Esdon.

Mabel Johnson went back to Minneapolis last Saturday.

Mr. Wickham is building a new home.

Miss Carrie Peterson and Miss Caughey entertained Miss Elsie English and some of the Hughey family on Sunday.

CROW WING

Cyrus Brisbane has gone to Cuyuna to work for the Duluth Diamond Drill company.

Miss Alice Liegthorn has returned from a visit in Bimidi.

Mesdames Wetherbee, Renstrom, H. B. Guin, Young and Messrs R. J. Wetherbee, H. B. Guin, E. R. Young and Lillian Guin went to Little Falls on Friday to take in the street fair.

Mr. Rudolph, of Deerwood, spent Sunday with his daughters, Mesdames Tallman and Bates.

Mr. Norcross spent Sunday at C. B. Rathvon's.

Calumet Baking Powder

The only high-class Baking Powder sold at a moderate price.

Georgia Hutchins spent Sunday at M. C. Benson's

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bailey returned on Tuesday from Morristown, where they went to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mahala Newell.

A. Tallman and C. B. Rathvon went to Brainerd on Tuesday.

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An ounce of flesh is better than a pound of theory. Mr. Dunn believes that the best possible demonstration of the flesh-forming powers of Samose is to have it tried by his customers, and to induce them to use it, he offers to pay for the Samose in case it does not give satisfaction. No stronger proof than this can be given of his faith in it. He has seen hundreds who were weak, thin and scrawny, become plump, robust and strong, solely through the use of Samose.

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Drug Store

WATCH CROSBY

The Hibbing of the Cuyuna Iron Range

On September 27th, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. at our offices at Duluth and Deerwood, Minn. we will place lots on sale in the above township. Located on beautiful Serpent Lake. An ideal place to live. Splendid business openings. The largest mines on the Range adjoin the town. Lots will increase in value rapidly. For particulars write or call

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KUNI VISITS WASHINGTON

Japanese Prince Charmed With Sights of the City.

Washington, Sept. 24.—Paying his first visit to the national capital, Prince Kuni, the official representative of the emperor of Japan to the Hudson-Fulton celebration in New York, was charmed with the beautiful sights of the city.

Prince Kuni was whirled about the city in a large automobile, visiting the Capitol building, the Washington monument, the White House, the soldiers' home, and lastly the congressional library.

Prince Kuni was accompanied to Washington only by his military aide,

Mr. Kurita. He was met at the new union station by Commander C. C. Marsh of the navy, who has been designated as the prince's aide while here, Third Assistant Secretary of State Phillips and by the entire staff of the Japanese embassy.

Following the custom of previous distinguished visitors, Prince Kuni will place a wreath upon the tomb of Washington at Mount Vernon.

Friend—I noticed Mr. Bluffwood riding with you in the carriage.

Widow—Yes, and he was very consoling.

Friend—Did he speak about the good deeds of your poor husband?

Widow—No, but he said I'd look well in black.

SET FIRE TO THE FACTORY

Watchman Wanted to Get Even for Being Overworked.

Indianapolis, Sept. 24.—That he had set fire to the McDougall kitchen furniture factory in order to "get even" with the company for as he believed overworking him, was the confession of Otto Truhann, night watchman at the factory, to the police. The fire destroyed the factory and eleven residences, causing total damage of about \$125,000.

"I am going to be on the square with you," the police say Truhann told them after he had been questioned at length, "and you can believe me this time. Those fellows down there worked me too hard and I decided to even up just a little."

RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

National League.

At Cincinnati, 2; Philadelphia, 12. At Chicago, 1; Brooklyn, 4. Second game—Chicago, 4; Brooklyn, 1.

At St. Louis, 0; New York, 5. Second game—St. Louis, 5; New York, 12—eight innings; called a dark.

American League.

At Boston, 3; Cleveland, 7. At Washington, 1; Detroit, 8.

At Philadelphia, 6; St. Louis, 2. At New York, 4; Chicago, 2. Second game—New York, 7; Chicago, 1.

American Association.

At Louisville, 1; St. Paul, 3. At Indianapolis, 2; Kansas City, 11.

At Toledo, 2; Milwaukee, 1. Second game—Toledo, 0; Milwaukee, 0—six innings; called a dark.

Western League.

At Pueblo, 2; Topeka, 6. At Des Moines, 7; Sioux City, 1.

At Denver, 6; Wichita, 5—ten innings.

At Lincoln, 4; Omaha, 3. Second game—Lincoln, 11; Omaha, 7—seven innings; called at dark.

Three I League.

At Dubuque, 2; Rock Island, 6. At Bloomington, 2; Springfield, 1.

At Peoria, 0; Decatur, 6. Second game—Peoria, 6; Decatur, 0.

At Davenport, 10; Cedar Rapids, 5. Second game—Davenport, 11; Cedar Rapids, 2.

STARTS WATER THROUGH TUNNEL

President Taft Opens Big Irrigation Project.

SCENE A PICTURESQUE ONE

Thousands of People Gather in a Deep Ravine to See the Chief Executive Open the Gunnison Tunnel—Real Touch of Western Life Given the President at the Montrose County Fair.

Montrose, Colo., Sept. 24.—President Taft passed the day on the western slope of the Rocky mountains and amid a succession of scenes typical of the great Western country. In many respects the day was one of the most interesting he has had since leaving Boston.

Mr. Taft stood on the brink of the deepest irrigation ditch in all the West and far out in the foot hills with not a settlement in sight made the electrical connection which started a flow of water through the Gunnison tunnel that will reclaim 140,000 acres of arid land. The setting in operation of the greatest irrigation project the United States government ever has undertaken and the opening was made the occasion of a joyous celebration throughout the valley of Uncompahgre.

Before traveling out to the west portal of the tunnel on a little narrow gauge train, the president visited the Montrose county fair and after some formal speechmaking in which he, the mayor and the governor and several others participated, he was given a real touch of Western life in a relay race of cow-boys.

In Honor of the President.

The race was arranged especially in honor of the president and was a novel and exciting affair. A girl of sixteen was matched against two older riders and, carrying the sympathy of the crowd with her from the start, won the two and a half mile race with three changes of horses by almost a quarter of a mile. The girl, Miss Bertha Elsie Hull, wore knickerbockers, while the two older riders wore undivided skirts. The impediment of the latter turned the tide of the contest and with the second change of horse, little Miss Hull was galloping along so far in front that the result was never again in doubt. All three of the riders were presented to the president, who clambered into the judge's stand on the fair grounds track to witness the race.

During his travels the president had ample opportunity to study the effect of irrigation. For a long time his train would run through stretches of country where as far as the eye could reach the only vegetation in sight consisted of a few greasewood bushes or sage brush. Then out of a rocky canyon the train suddenly would rush upon a veritable oasis, where waving green fields of alfalfa and miles of orchards with trees laden with fruit told of the miracle wrought by the touch of water.

At Grand Junction and here at Montrose the president visited the

fruit exhibitions of the county fairs and was told the almost unbelievable story of the season's yield. Enormous peaches, apples, pears, plums and vari-colored grapes and almost every other known fruit as well as enormous samples of the vegetable growth of the district were shown to the president, who had an admiring word for all. At almost every stop the baggage car was laden with fruit. One little box, a yard long, was just big enough to hold ten peaches arranged in a row.

Scene Was Picturesque.

The scene attending the opening of the Gunnison tunnel was picturesque. On either side of the deep ravine leading away from the portal of the great bore several thousand people were gathered. A little stand had been erected for the president and his party right at the edge of the cut and looking down 150 feet to the opening of the tunnel. The tunnel, hewn through six miles of a mountain range and when the project is completed next spring will divert the water of the Gunnison river, now flowing away in waste to the valley on this side of the mountains, where minor private projects of irrigation have already told the wonders of the soil.

During the day Mr. Taft was presented with a golden key to the city of Montrose, a gold badge commemorating his visit and a gold table bell. It was with this little bell that the president opened the tunnel. The weight of the bell when set upon a copper plate representing the district of reclaimed lands made the electrical connection which caused a squad of laborers several miles away, to knock down the bulkheads which were holding the waters of the river. As the muddy wall of water rushed noisily out of the concrete hole the crowd cheered.

In all of his speeches, including the last one delivered to a throng in Elks park, following an illuminated parade and a display of fireworks, the president touched briefly upon the subject of irrigation. He promised at Grand Junction promptly to look into the matter of completing the Grand valley, or highline ditch project there.

PORTLAND HONORS PEARY

City of His Adoption Gives Banquet to Explorer.

Portland, Me., Sept. 24.—Portland, the city of his adoption, laid full claim to Commander Robert E. Peary and from the time of the completion of his triumphal journey through Maine, until a late hour he was in the hands of his fellow citizens, reinforced by the governor of the state and the president of Bowdoin college, his alma mater.

When Commander Peary and party arrived on the Bar Harbor-New York express, a great assemblage, headed by Mayor Leighton of this city and Mayor Hamilton of South Portland, gave the explorer a royal welcome.

Escorted by four companies of the Maine national guard, a band and a procession of citizens burning red fire, the commander was taken in a carriage to the auditorium, where he was tendered a public reception. Thousands passed in line to grasp the explorer's hand and congratulate him on the outcome of his latest Arctic voyage. On the way to the auditorium thousands joined enthusiastically in cheering.

After the reception, Commander Peary was banqueted by the citizens of Portland and South Portland. At this function he was vociferously applauded by the diners and complimented by half a dozen speakers, including Governor Fernald and President William Dewitt Hyde of Bowdoin college.

The great length of the reception at the auditorium delayed the banquet which was held at the Falmouth hotel. A seemingly endless line of people passed up to the receiving platform as fast as possible. They were only able to catch a hurried glance and quickly shake the hand of the explorer.

He looked everyone who shook his hand squarely in the eye, and appeared to be a happy, but weary man.

Papa—There, there! You needn't kiss me any more. Tell me what you want. Out with it.

Daughter—I don't want anything. I want to give you something.

Papa—You do? What?

Daughter—A son-in-law. Jack asked me to speak to you about it.

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